

CHAPTER 4

OPEN BURNING

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7-4-1 General Prohibitions. A person shall not kindle or maintain or authorize to be kindled or maintained any open burning except in conformity with the provisions of Section 7-4-2 through 7-4-4.

7-4-2 Permissible Burning – Without Permit. When not prohibited by other laws or by other officials having jurisdiction and provided that a nuisance is not created, the following types of open burning are permissible without the necessity of securing a permit, when conducted in accordance with the provisions of the current edition of the International Fire Code.

(1) In devices for the primary purpose of preparing food such as outdoor grills and fireplaces.

(2) Campfires and fires used solely for recreational purposes where such fires are under control of a responsible person.

(3) In indoor fireplaces.

(4) Properly operated industrial flares for combustion of flammable gases.

(5) Controlled heating of orchards or other crops to lessen the chances of their being frozen so long as the emissions from the heating do not violate minimum standards set by the Utah State Air Quality Board.

(6) In compliance with the “clearing index” system approved and coordinated by the Davis County Health Department and after notification of the Kaysville Fire Department of the approximate time that the burning will occur, burning incident to fruit orchards of 25 or more fruit trees on one contiguous property or to horticulture or agriculture operations on two or more cultivated acres of contiguous property:

(a) prunings from trees, bushes, and plants; or

(b) dead or diseased trees, bushes, and plants, including stubble; or

- (c) weed growth along fence lines; canals or irrigation ditches

7-4-3 Permissible Burning – With Permit. When not prohibited by other laws or other officials having jurisdiction and provided that a nuisance is not created, the following types of open burning are permissible under the terms of individual permits issued by Kaysville City in compliance with the “clearing index” system approved and coordinated by the Davis County Health Department.

- (1) Burning of solid or liquid fuels or structures for removal of hazards or eyesores or for fire fighting training purposes when conducted under the direct control and supervision of the Kaysville Fire Department
- (2) Burning for special purposes, or under unusual circumstances.
- (3) Flame effects.

7-4-4 High Risk. The Kaysville Fire Chief may prohibit specified types of open burning in specified locations within Kaysville City for any specified period of high fire danger or other risk.

7-4-5 Discharge Prohibited. Discharge of fireworks of any type are hereby prohibited within the specific area of the City designated as a High Fire Hazard Area as shown on the map attached hereto as Exhibit “A,” and incorporated herein by reference.

This Section shall be in effect annually between the inclusive dates of July 1st and November 30th.

High Fire Hazard Area in Kaysville City

